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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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13 ZHANG ZIYI, an individual,

14 Plaintiff,

15 vs.
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17 CHINA FREE PRESS, INC., a North
18 Carolina non-profit corporation doing
19 business as BOXUN NEWS; WEICAN
20 NULL MENG, an individual known as
21 WATSON MENG and also WEICAN
22 “WATSON” MENG; DOES 1-25,
inclusive,

23 Defendants.

Case No. CV12-5216-DMG (PLAX)

ORDER RE DEFENDANTS’ *EX*
***PARTE* APPLICATION FOR**
LEAVE TO SUPPLEMENT
SPECIAL MOTION TO STRIKE
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24 The Court, having read and considered the papers in support of and in
25 opposition to Defendants’ Ex Parte Application for leave to supplement their
26 special motion to strike under Cal. Civ. Proc. Code § 425.16, **IT IS HEREBY**
27 **ORDERED THAT:**
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1 1. Defendant Meng is GRANTED leave to supplement its Special
2 Motion to Strike Under California Civil Procedure § 425.16 with the Declaration
3 of David Ardia;

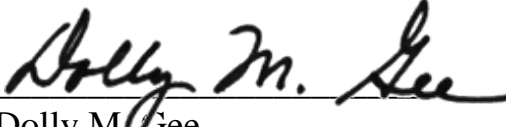
4 2. If Plaintiff wishes to take the deposition of David Ardia, the parties
5 shall meet and confer to schedule the deposition to take place in December 2012;

6 3. The hearing on Defendant Meng's Motion to Dismiss and Motion to
7 Strike, as well as the Scheduling Conference, are continued from December 21,
8 2012 at 9:30 a.m. to January 25, 2013 at 9:30 a.m.; and

9 4. The Court expects the parties to litigate this case to its conclusion in a
10 professional and courteous manner—the *ex parte* application would have been
11 wholly unnecessary if the parties had met and conferred in a meaningful fashion to
12 reach a reasoned accommodation of mutual interests.

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14 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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16 Dated: November 29, 2012

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19 Dolly M. Gee
20 United States District Judge
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